



July 17, 2009

Ms. Nicole Della Rocco Campaign Finance Analyst Federal Election Commission

Re: Your Letter dated June 26, 2009 regarding the May Monthly Report received May 14, 2009

Dear Ms. Rocco:

In response to your letter, The expenditures on Schedule H4, Line 21(a) for "ITEMIZE: insurance", "net pay", "payroll taxes", and "state unemployment taxes" were for employees who spent less than 25% of their time during the month referenced on FEA or activities in connection with a federal election. During this month, staff was engaged in party building activities including county conventions, making preparations for the state convention and was not engaged in activities in connection with a federal election.

Sincerely,

Glen O'Connell